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Terms and Conditions

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CONDITIONS OF SERVICE:

Equipment Furnished and Maintained by Customer.

All gas utilization equipment, piping, and vents furnished by the Customer shall be suitable for the purposes hereof and shall be installed and maintained by the Customer at all times in accordance with accepted practice and in conformity with requirements of public health and safety, as set forth by the properly constituted authorities and by the Company.

The Company assumes no responsibility in connection with the installation, maintenance or operation of the Customer's equipment and reserves the right to discontinue service if such equipment is in an unsatisfactory condition.

Company's Property and Protection Thereof.

All meters, regulators, and other facilities placed on the Customer's premises by the Company for the purpose of rendering gas service to said premises, unless otherwise expressly provided, shall be and remain the property of the Company, and the Customer shall exercise reasonable care to protect such property from loss or damage. If a meter installation requires physical protection to prevent damage from a hazardous condition, such protection shall be provided at the Customer's expense. When, in the Company's judgement, relocation of its facilities becomes necessary because of Customer's construction or change in operations; or when relocations or revisions of the Company's facilities are requested for the convenience of the Customer, the Company, at the Customer's expense, will make such revisions, to the extent and to such locations deemed to be feasible by the Company.

The Company will charge a Customer \$260 for any damage to the Company's non-steel service pipes, sized 1 1/8 inch or less. Charges for damages to the Company's mains, steel service pipes and service pipe larger than 1 1/8 inch in size will be determined based on the time and material necessary to make the repairs.

Landlord's Consent.

In case the Customer is not the owner of the premises or of intervening property between the premises and the Company's main, the Customer shall obtain from the proper owner, or owners, the necessary consent to the installation and maintenance on the premises and on such intervening property of all piping, or other gas equipment required for the supplying of gas to the Customer.

Access to Premises.

The properly authorized agents of the Company shall at all reasonable hours have free access to the premises for the purpose of inspecting the Customer's installation and of reading, examining, repairing, or removing the Company's meters or other property.

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